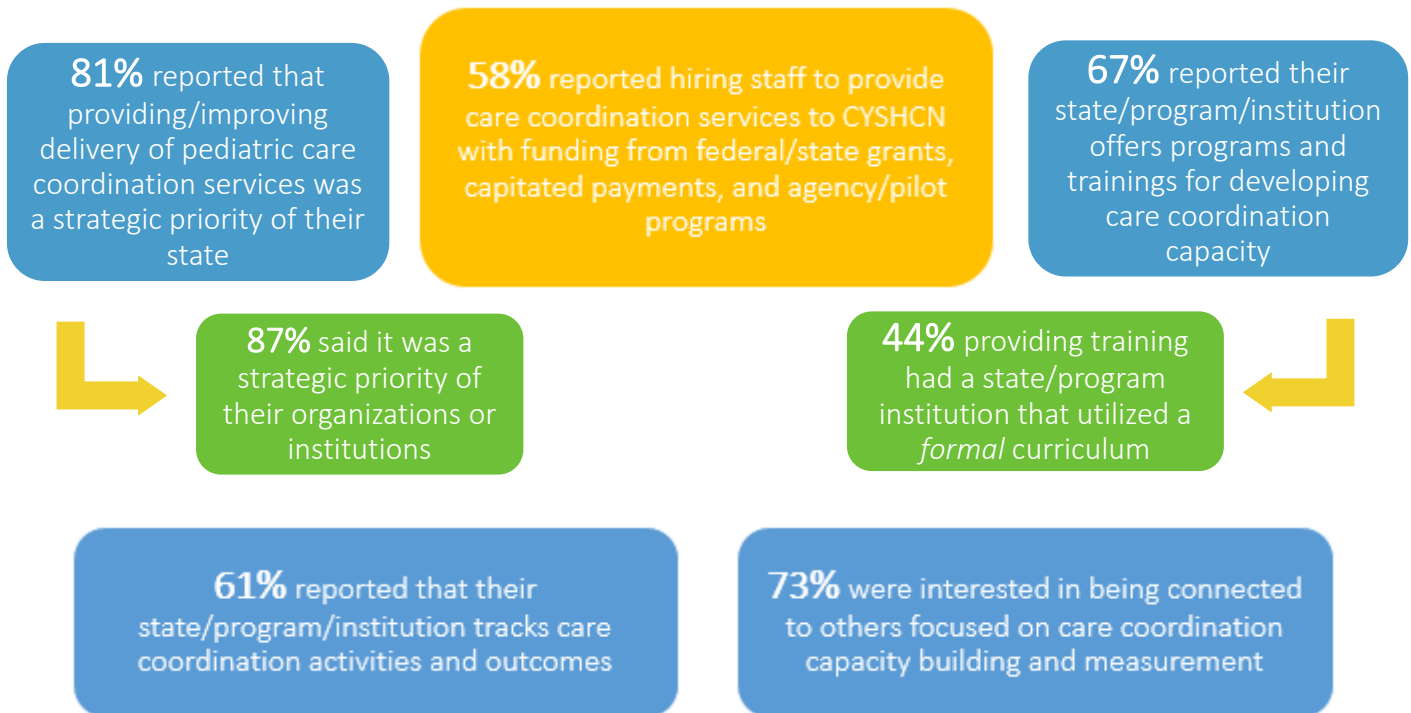


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Results of a nationwide effort to identify care coordination practices

In 2015, the National Center for Care Coordination Technical Assistance* (NCCCTA) conducted a nationwide environmental scan with the goal of identifying existing pediatric care coordination activities. Representing 35 states, 53 individuals participated in the effort and respondents self-identified as American Academy of Pediatrics chapter leaders, Title V Program staff, and maternal and child health (MCH) professionals. Key findings are below.



Respondents provided feedback on the **successes and challenges** they encounter with implementing pediatric care coordination capacity building and measurement activities. Key challenges and successes are below.

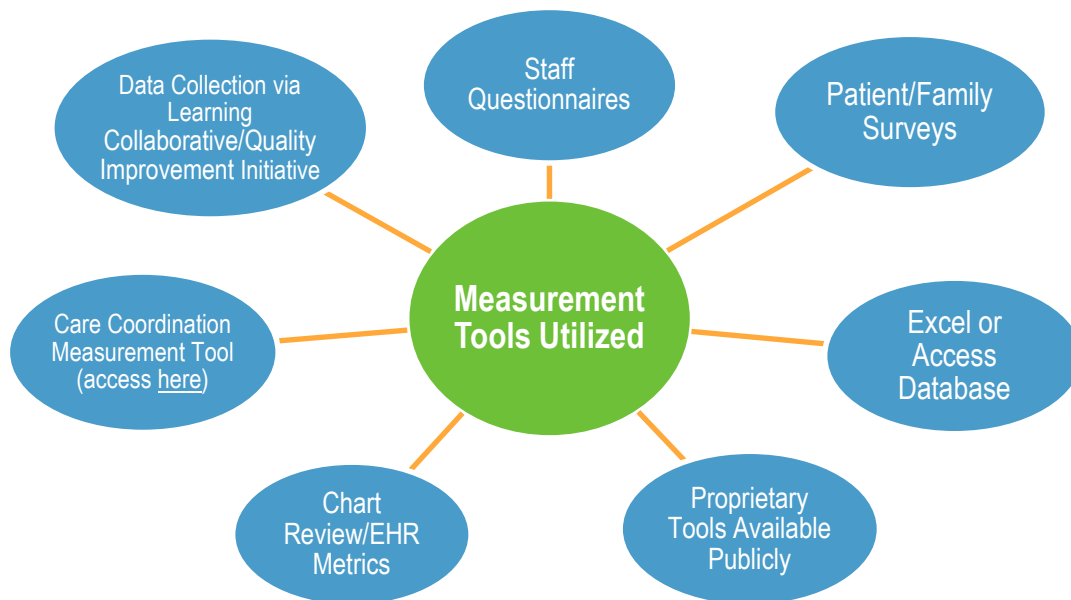
Successes	Challenges
<p>Financing: Partnerships with Medicaid/commercial payers, Medicaid Targeted Case Management payments, financial incentives, and state amendments</p> <p>Outcomes: Improved communication, new collaborations, enhanced medical home certification, and hiring of additional staff</p> <p>Training: Development of training programs, enhanced curricula linked to standards and certification programs</p> <p>Measurement: Development of outcome measurement systems, utilizing EHR for data collection</p>	<p>Financing: Limited funding for team members; and training, payment issues</p> <p>Communication: Institutional barriers, data sharing and/or EHR practices that are not aligned</p> <p>Capacity: Lack of providers/staff available; lack of systematic training</p> <p>Measurement: Conflicting perspectives on valuable measurements, difficulties of collecting substantial data, lack of standardized methods of measurement</p>

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Respondents who said that their state/program/institution focused on care coordination capacity building and measurement provided details regarding the specific curricula and measurement tools they have been utilizing.

Commonly Used Formal Curricula	Key Topics of Curricula	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maternal Child Health Bureau (MCHB)-funded Pediatric Care Coordination Curriculum (PCCC): Access here Bridge to Independence: Access here Strengthening Families Protective Factors: Access here 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Care Planning Team-based Care Advocacy Skills System Navigation Community Resources Measurement Strategies Transition to Adult Care Transformation/Quality Improvement Strategies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Behavioral Health Integration Specialized Skill Development Medical Complexity Algorithms Financing/Policies/Regulations Care Coordination Definitions/Roles Chronic Disease Management/Self-care Authentic Family-Provider Partnerships
Practical Components of Curricula		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Target audience Modes of implementation Financing mechanisms Faculty Evaluations 		



More Information: A detailed version of this report is available through Hannah Rosenberg hannah.rosenberg@childrens.harvard.edu. Visit the [NCMHI/NCCCTA website](#) for assistance with identification, adaptation, implementation, and/or evaluation of care coordination tools. Email Ms Rosenberg and join the NCCCTA listserv to share and connect with others engaged in care coordination.

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